

August 22, 2011

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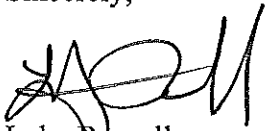
Re: Request for Consent to Access to Callahan Mining Corporation property at Humboldt Mill Site

Dear Ms. Muniz

I am responding to your letter dated August 12, 2011, addressed to Coeur d'Alene Mines Corporation, but which deals with EPA's desired access to Callahan Mining Corporation real property.

As a representative of Callahan Mining Corporation, I looked at the legal descriptions attached to your letter. It appears they encompass the former mill site and the Humboldt Pit properties. Be advised that Callahan Mining Corporation sold the former mill site to Mineral Processing Corporation, who I believe later sold it to Kennecott Eagle. And, Callahan Mining Corporation sold the Humboldt Pit properties to Kennecott Eagle. Therefore, Callahan is not in a position to grant the access which you seek.

Sincerely,



Luke Russell,
Authorized Agent Callahan Mining Corporation

cc. William F. Boyd, Esq.

Access Authorization

I am the ☐ owner ☐ tenant ☐ authorized representative of the owner of the property (hereafter "property") at the following address [check one] and have authority to sign this agreement:

1738 COUNTY ROAD FN
Address

CHAMPION, MI
City / State / ZIP

I grant authorization to U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, their officers, employees, contractors and other designated representatives to enter the property.

This authorization allows EPA and MDEQ, their officers, employees, contractors and other designated representatives to have access to the property to conduct sampling and carry out other related response activities to include, but not be limited to, the following: **Collect well water samples.**

This consent for access granted here will begin **March 2012** and continue until EPA and MDEQ complete sampling activities. Upon request enough water can be collected to be shared by resident / owner of the well. These actions are taken as part of EPA's response authority under Section 104(a) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act, 42 U.S.C. Section 9604(a).

This written permission is given by me voluntarily, on behalf of myself and all other co-owners of this property, with knowledge of my right to refuse and without threats or promises of any kind.

Check one: ☐ I grant access to my property (details below). ☐ I do NOT grant access to my property.

JAMES PASCOE
Printed Name / Middle initial / Surname

MR PASCOE GAVE ORAL
Signature

Date

Land phone

Cell phone

Title if signing as authorized representative of owner

E-mail

Address

City / State / ZIP

Do you want to be present during sampling? Yes ☐ No ☐

SAMPLING WAS DONE
ABOUT 1400 3/12/12.

Property owner (if other than resident) Name

Address

City / State / ZIP

E-mail

Land phone

Cell phone

Do you live at the property? Yes ☐ No ☐

If no: Is anyone living on the property: Yes ☐ No ☐

Name of person living on the property

Phone number(s)

Note to property / well owner

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency collected water on your property in November 2011. Results of that sampling will be provided to you by an EPA agent.

After reviewing the sampling results provided by EPA, the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality and Humboldt Township supervisor have requested EPA to carry out additional sampling on the same properties. The sampling will be to evaluate water for additional substances typically found in ground water as well as for some that may have been used at the former mine site. The previous sampling results did not show the presence of substances at levels of concern. However, the state and township want to sample for a broader array of substances to provide further assurance for the health and safety of residents.

As with the previous sampling, the results will be shared with residents and owners after laboratory results have been returned and validated.